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Shigella germ are capable of addition, those infected with losis and also decrease the time causing diarrheal illness. Shigella often remain infec- an individual is infectious to School will conduct an Open At this time, it is important tious for several weeks. that everone increase the fre- Individuals experiencing with any diarrheal illness 5-7 p.m. A presentation of the quency and care of hand wash- fever, diarrhea, bloody diarrhea should not attend daycare or new AMSTI program will be ing. Some persons who are or diarrhea lasting more than 48 school and seek medical attengiven at 5:30 p.m. in each grade. infected may have no symp- hours are encouraged to seek tion. toms at all, but still pass the medical care. Antibiotics can Swimming season is here, visit with teachers, tour the Shigella bacteria to others. In be prescribed to treat shigel- Residents with diarrhea are also facility and pick up a supply list.

Kinston resident arrested on several sex-related charges

ual abuse, first degree; one County Circuit Judge Jeff the outbreak occurring in count of sodomy, first degree; Kelley on Monday of this week, southeast Alabama. and one count of rape, first and Kelley set bond on each

arrest of Frost was in connection investigation

Alabama Bureau of young females, ages 8- and 9- amount of feces, as from a dia-Investigation (ABI) arrested years-old. He was transported to per. Harold Frost, age 44, of 167 the Coffee County Jail in New Generally every year, one or Pierce St., Kinston, Ala. He was Brockton following his arrest. Generally every year, one or more communities in Alabama new conference room at Zion charged with two counts of sex- Frost appeared before Coffee experience outbreaks similar to Chapel School. The meeting

According to information The Department of Human released by the Alabama Resources and Coffee County Department of Public Safety, the Sheriff's Office assisted in this

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School plans Open House for Monday, Aug. 6th others. Infants and children House on Monday, Aug. 6, from

Additional Obituary:

WENDY MICHELLE WHITE Ronny and Vickie Green,

Ms. Wendy Michelle White, Montgomery; one sister: Valerie

age 25, of Jack, Ala., died Green, Montgomery; grand-

Funeral services were held Green, Montgomery, Robert and

July 29, 2007 from the Chapel Ruth Garrett, Banks, Ala.; three of Dillard Funeral Home in aunts: Julie (Steve) Downing,

Brundidge with Reverend Rick Faye Rhoden and Ginger

Hayes officiating. Burial fol- Donaldson; and one uncle:

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New Brockton Elementar

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regular monthly board meet-

parents: Dwight and Vivian

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Wedding- 7/21/07

urged not to swim. In addition, Wednesday, Aug. 8, is the first diapered children should not day of school. It will be a reguswim if they have had diarrhea lar school day. Properly chlorinated water kills higella very quickly unless it is contaminated with a large

Cemetery with Dillard Funeral

She was preceded in death by

her grandfather, Rev. Billy

Gregory; and great-grandpar-

ents, Grady and Elizabeth English, Jack and Christine

Goodwyne, Paul and Clara Mae

Gregory, and Essie and Madie

Survivors include her son:

Caleb Nathan White; parents:

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Kinston Town Council honors softball team

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As start of production draws closer Ribbon cutting ceremony held for Dorsey Trailers

the Dorsey Trailers facility in 3, with a ribbon cutting ceremo-Elba continues to draw closer ny. Elba Mayor James Grimes and closer as the new manage- received the honor of "cutting ment team works to get every- the ribbon" as Pitts, Dorsey,

The Elba Chamber of Dorsey nameplate.

by Linda Hodge, Editor Commerce officially welcomed Dorsey Trailers back-to-busi-The return of production at ness last Friday morning, Aug. Pitts Enterprises, headquar- cilmen, chamber officials, Elba tered in Pittsview, Ala., recently queens and other interested citipurchased the facility. Shortly zens surrounded him. Also in after the purchase, company attendance for this special occapresident Jeff Pitts hired Elba sion were Pitts' wife Cher and native David Dorsey to serve as daughters, Isabella and Abigail. general manager of the Elba Since purchasing the Elba

the-road trailers bearing the

On Friday of last week, "maintain the Dorsey tradition Dorsey said the Elba facility (if of 'Modern Design all goes well) is approximately Transportation Equipment' with three weeks away from produc- pride in the finished product and tion beginning on one line. He respect for those who blazed the said the company hopes to even- shinning trail to this point." tually have three lines up and Dorsey Trailers will be a divirunning at the facility and orders sion of Pitts Enterprises and will already are being placed for all manufacture a variety of over-

Back-to-School for area students A large crowd gathered in front of the Dorsey Trailers office last Friday morning, Aug. 3, for a ribbon cutting ceremony

Huge announcement highlights Monday evening ceremony



The 2007-08 school year officially arrived this week as area students began returning to the classroom. Coffee County students returned to school Wednesday, Aug. 8, while students in the Elba City Schools System are slated to return today (Thursday, Aug. 9). Earlier this week, the Coffee County Schools held an Open House for the students and parents to get acquainted with teachers prior to the first day of school. Above, Zion Chapel students Steven Harrell (left) and Josh Simmons (right) were excited Monday evening during the Open House event to find out which teacher's class they would be in for the new school year. With the start of a generations. new school year, motorists are reminded to keep an eye out for school buses and to obey all traffic laws in regards to the buses.

During New Brockton Town Council meeting Mayor says Tyler Street is open

New Brockton Mayor Charles said the increased fines sugges-Cole seemed relieved to be able tion was made due to the high to announce Monday evening, number of complaints of ani-Aug. 6, during the monthly town mals "running loose." She said council meeting that Tyler Street officials felt higher fines would

Mayor Cole said the road has Council members voted unanbeen open to traffic since last imously to give the senior center Thursday, Aug. 2, however, he director a 50 cents per hour pay said it will not be official until raise. This is retroactive one pay

ing Monday's meeting to approve three separate ordi-

An ordinance to amend the town's fire protection ordinance

Area Happenings town's fire protection ordinance in regards to fireworks passed with all members except council member Vicky Harrison voting in favor. This ordinance prohibits the sale and/or discharging of fireworks within the town

istrate fines for animals passed unanimously as did the ordinance to amend the "animals" ordinance to increase fines. The amendment to the "ani-

mals" ordinance increases fines from \$15 to \$25 for the first offense, \$50 for the second offense, \$75 for the third offense and up to a maximum fine of

by Linda Hodge, Editor \$500 after the third offense. Town clerk Annette Williams

deter letting animals run loose.

Council members voted dur- Please See TOWN, Page 12 to donate something to the

to look around and see the progress being made at Zion While many thought the celebration of the gym renovation and construction of a new building at the elementary school was

by Linda Hodge, Editor

struction projects.

School System.

plenty to cheer about, Dr. Ingram made an announcement huge crowd gathered at the school for the ceremony. After cutting the ribbon,

Ingram asked everyone to move to the high school auditorium Dr. Ingram said Zion Chapel it. However, she said thanks to Lance K. Dyess and his family for a "big" announcement. Once Schools currently has a building the generosity of an Elba doctor have donated 30-acres of land the plan is for the guardrails to failed to include the senior cenbe installed some time this ter director in a motion from a received a telephone call from a owned by the school system longer be a problem. gentleman indicating he wanted with no extra land available to The superintendent said Dr.

school to help with the growth.

Richard Ealum joined the Coffee County EMS team



COFFEE COUNTY SCHOOLS SUPERINTENDENT Dr. Linda Ingram (holding giant scissors) and Zion Chapel Principal Bob Hartwell join one another in "cutting the ribbon" Monday evening, Aug. 3, during a special open house ceremony held at the school. The ribbon cutting ceremony was in celebration of a gymnasium renovation and construction of a new building at the elementary school. Also taking part in the ribbon cutting were student representatives from grades K-12, Coffee County school board members and two members of the Zion Chapel Class of 1957 (the first graduating class from the school). The student representatives included Benjamin Hutchison, kindergarten; Whitney Senn, first grade; Lexi Sanders, second grade; Blake Cobb, third grade; Jamison Senn, fourth grade; Macy McIntosh, fifth grade; Heidi McLeod, sixth grade; Lizzie Carnley, seventh grade; Kelli Behrens, eighth even bigger applause from the grade; Garrett Stinson, ninth grade; Amber Grissett, tenth grade; Sierra Smith, eleventh grade; and Logan Carnley, twelfth grade. Reprsenting the Class of 1957 were Wayne Westbrook White and Joanne White Rugg. Coffee County Board of Education members include Charles Walker, Danny Jernigan, Jimmy Clark, Larry Eddins, Rubin McKinnon, Galen McWaters and Annette Griswold.

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approximately one month ago. He serves as an EMT-Basic and Driver. Ealum's special training includes EMT-Basic, EVOC,

and CPR. When asked, he said the thing he enjoys the most about his job is helping others.

Richard's family includes his 3-year-old daughter, Emily

In his spare time, Ealum said he enjoys fishing, camping, volunteering with the local fire department in McKenzie and just doing things with family and friends.



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Ga.; five sisters: May Shahid

Mae Critten and Clarice Bass,

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Mr. Hayward Faulk, age 75, (Nafi), Enterprise, Bonnie Davis

formerly of Pike County, Ala., (John), Montgomery, Ala., Betty

died Saturday, July 28, 2007, at Lykes (Fred), Atlanta, Ga., Letia

enough to scare all of us, especially those with the responsibility of inspecting and repairing found flaws. On second thought, the pressure should be greatest on those decision = makers who issue marching orders to the inspectors and repair

It may come as a shock to voters. It is also an effective by this new policy are often that money is well spent. If there

Highway officials across the nation have already sent up cries year college system, by legisla- is something we are all too face of opposition from special be fired. for more money to inspect and repair bridges. All our life tors or anyone else who works familiar with in Alabama. there have been the stories of the main qualification for work- in education. For years Alabama Bradley Byrne, Gov. Riley's the governor doesn't propose a knew full well what their educaing on a road crew is the ability to prop on a shovel handle. law and state ethics commission hand-picked chancellor of the similar ban for his friends else-All too often that was the truth. With today's technology it is guidelines (Opinion 2002-28) two-year system, is proposing to where in state government, nor chose to send them back to easy to have high-tech "handle proppers" those with lots have been clear that nobody can ban all community college of education, possibly lots of skills and surely with pay scales receive two salaries for work employees from running for far above the salaries of those workers which drivers see on done at the same time. It is comthe sides of the road. We pointed out this high tech group to mon sense that you can only do is the dozen or so legislators an Alabama Highway Department big wheel some months one job at a time. ago by citing a particular case. Hopefully that little playhouse Men lawmakers are in so broad it will stop any combas been busted up.

When lawmakers are in so broad it will stop any combas been busted up.

An ew strategy. If you can't beat them, ban them. has been busted up.

As predicted last week in this column, the press conference by community college. Time taken office, from a county commis-Governor Riley and two year college chancellor Bradley from their education work either sion to the local utility board. cern from citizens about people and defeat this unwise and un-Byrne stirred up a hornet's nest. We continue to predict the must be made up on nights or The governor said in a recent in public education serving as American policy. state school board will not pass the proposed rules or will weekends, or a portion of their press conference that he would legislators there is a simple Dr. Paul Hubbert is the water them down so much the governor will walk away dis- salary is withheld for the time like to extend the ban to all K- solution: tighten the reporting Executive Secretary of the appointed but with a stiff upper lip claiming "it is a start", they did not work at their educa-First reaction after the press conference last Wednesday was tion institution. Again, you can't 125,000 Alabamians the basic work in the two-year system, Association. He can be contactscreams of no-no coming from the Democratic Party with get paid for doing two jobs at right to run for office. questions of why not apply the same rules to the four year colBut having two jobs is not a leges where a leading Republican legislator has a nice contract. Then others began to speak out and the governor tried to have two or more jobs to make and women were denied the respond. Anyway, there is little doubt the two-year college ends meet. We have a part-time right to vote and the right to run system in Alabama has been shamefully exploited and fixing Legislature, meeting each year for public office. is not finished. However, any fixes being considered should in regular session only thirty Denying educators the right play all across the board and be fair to all involved. Even this days over a three-month period. to run for office is no different. old grump does not agree to the extremes (and narrowness) Legislators must have other. Education is a field with a highthe announced rules will take our system of government. work to support their families, er percentage of women and

The grades for the nations public schools were announced this So 'double-dipping' doesn't tion. In rural Alabama most of week and a Coffee County school failed. The Kinston schools exist, but don't tell that to the the professional jobs are in edudidn't fail for not teaching the course of study. They failed governor and his allies. They because entirely too many of their students dropped out of school before graduating. The "No Child Left Behind" program launched by the federal government has fans and distractors and a few in between. We fall in between. The idea is great but to fail an entire school because students were too lazy to attend class and parents failed to inspire (or force) them to school each day well that isn't fair to the staff, the facility nor the many, many d___ good children who take pride in their personal achievements and in their school.

Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, Circle (7:42 p.m.). beginning Monday, July 30, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1 2007, investigated the following Coffee County EMS dispatched incidents: three for criminal to 1237 Forest Lake Dr. (12:13 mischief, one for criminal tres- a.m.); Domestic disturbance passing, one for harassing com-reported at 1546 Gray St. (12:19 munications, one incident, one a.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-

made: one for assault. Traffic citations issued during MarketPlace (4:18 p.m.). red light, one for no proof of on Reese Ave. (7:44 p.m.).

the week were as follows: (2:23 p.m.); Fight in progress at Taylor Mill Rd. (11:39 p.m.). 1532 Powell Circle (2:37 p.m.); SATURDAY, AUG. 4

Coffee County EMS dispatched p.m.); Disturbance (noise) to 426 County Rd. 353 (7:11 reported on Jones St. (9:38 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to 18802 Hwy. 125 patched to 922 Roosevelt Dr. (7:42 a.m.); Coffee County (11:21 p.m.). EMS dispatched to 3334 County SUNDAY, AUG. 5 - Report Rd. 201 (9:48 a.m.); Wreck of a gun being discharged in the reported at the intersection of area of Elba Villas (2:20 a.m.); the 203 Bypass and Hickman Subject reorted shot on Ave. (4:12 p.m.); Coffee County Hickman Ave. (3:26 a.m.); EMS dispatched to the wreck at Coffee County EMS dispatched the 203 Bypass and Hickman to Hickman Ave. (3:26 a.m.); Ave. (4:17 p.m.); Domestic dis-Robbery reported at 2527 Hwy. furbance reported on Brunson 166 (2:00 p.m.).

domestic dispute, two for theft patched to 1237 Forest Lake Dr. of property, one private property (3:00 a.m.); Possible prowler accident, one assault and one reported at 728 Smith Ave. (3:40 a.m.); Wreck reported on Hwy. The following arrests were 84 E. (12:53 p.m.); Fight (not in progress) reported at the Elba the week were as follows: five THURSDAY, AUG. 2 for speeding, one for running a Assault reported at a residence

insurance, one for no driver's FRIDAY, AUG. 3 - Coffee license, one for a suspended dri- County EMS dispatched to ver's license, one for no insur- County Rd. 208 (10:03 a.m.); ance, one for an expired tag, one Elba Fire Department disfor a revoked driver's license patched to a vehicle fire on and two for violation of the seat Hwy. 84 E. (12:07 p.m.); Disturbance (noise) reported Daily activity highlights for directly behind 1315 Martin Luther King Dr. (9:22 p.m.); MONDAY, JULY 30 - Disturbance (noise) reported at Burglary reported at 1698 Whitman Apts. (9:44 p.m.); Hickman Ave. (6:24 a.m.); Disturbance (noise) reported at Coffee County EMS dispatched Whitman Apts. (9:53 p.m.); to a wreck on County Rd. 338 Wreck reported near 2318

Coffee County EMS dispatched Domestic disturbance reported to 1496 County Rd. 210 (2:38 at 1584 Caroline St. (5:27 a.m.); Disturbance reported at 1032 TUESDAY, JULY 31 - Martin Luther King Dr. (1:28

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The bridge collapse last week in Minneapolis should be If you can't beat them, ban them

or be independently wealthy.

I can barely understand it!"

would speak up a little bit."

OPEN HOUSE SPECIAL

"If only the kids

currently working in our two- Legislature and other elected the campaigns When lawmakers' are in year system, Byrne's policy is bodies work hard. Making them tive session, they cannot be paid munity college professor or their rights seems as unfor the job they hold at a state employee from serving in any American as it is unwise.

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blacks than the general popula-

By Dr. Paul Hubbert get. It is politically powerful, Republican and Democratic leg- Taxpayers deserve to know that whips up their base, and angers islators who would be affected people are doing their jobs and those who read Alabama news- cover to deny an entire class of politically opposed to the gover- are questions about job performpapers but there is no such thing people from participating in the nor and his allies. They have ance, then legislators can be as 'double-dipping' in our two- political process. Denying rights stood up for education in the treated just like anyone else and interests. It is no surprise that In last year's election voters

attack other professions that are Montgomery, political attacks So now Riley and Byrne have

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and have the State Board of ed at 334.834.9790, or email

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Dear Prospective Parents: One of the oldest military Alabama and people should institutions in our nation is complain to their elected repre-Lyman Ward Military Academy, sentatives both about ADEM's located in Camp Hill, Alabama. failures and the legislature's Lyman Ward is in its 110th year failure to adequately fund

and has a rich historical tradition ADEM. of instilling the values of excel- Alabamians were served lence, honor, duty and love of poorly by their state environGeneral Hospital in Elba. Home directing. country into our young men. mental protection agency, Over the years, Lyman Ward has ADEM, and its oversight comAug. 3, 2007 from the Chapel of death by his parents, John Catrett, Troy, Ala., Debra great-grandchildren; brother produced many leaders across mission, the EMC, when in June Hayes Funeral Home in Elba Freeman Flowers and Mertie Atwell, Montgomery, Bruce and sisters: Mary Hazel the nation, and they all attribute those organizations failed to with Father Jan Zagorski offici- Bell (Scarbrough) Flowers and Hudson, Montgomery, Byron Garland, Cincinnati, Dr. J. instilled in them at Lyman Ward. citizen environmental and con-We live in a culture where love servation groups to lower the Hayes Puneral Home directing. Flowers. of country is discounted by cancer risk allowed in water polmany, and our young people are lution permits issued by ADEM. continuously inundated with the Both ADEM and the EMC not notion that hard work and dedi- only ignored the precautionary cation of purpose in seeking to principle when they rejected the precautionary and a sister Joanne Bergesch. Starla) Flowers, Enterprise, Montgomery; 66 great-grand- Mrs. Mary Jean Hunter Batie, do the right thing is not imporpetitions and appointed a comRachel Bowers Nelson, Elba; Marie) Flowers, Elba, Ala.; great-granchildren. ences, it is imperative that the ter by looking primarily at the people of Alabama know about cost to industry. this historic institution, and its There is no universal definirich tradition of instilling in our tion of the precautionary princi- Marie) Grantham, Boston, Elba; one step son: Jeffery Saturday, Aug. 4, 2007. young men goodness and disci- ple but a commonly used defini-

Chairman of the Board of ways to manage or reduce risks past eighteen years, and one of on unnecessary economic who loves this institution, I have expenditures." of how their son after a month at expense of cancer treatment, ter: Ashleigh M. Nelson, Owens, Jennifer Grissett, grandchildren: Holly and Hunter and Trayvin Marques Lyman Ward, would look you provided they are fortunate Pensacola. straight in the eye, give you a enough to have access to high firm handshake and stand a little quality health insurance. taller. All of this transformation Between June 29th when the going on while at the same time EMC rejected the petition and his grades improved drastically. August 6th when the committee I would ask that you consider meets about 950 Alabamians Lyman Ward if you want your will die from cancer. If the comchild to accomplish these same mittee meetings and subsequent be the best that he can be. If you Alabamians will have died of are interested in learning more cancer. To be accurate, not all of about Lyman Ward Military these cancer deaths are caused Academy please log on at by industrial pollutants.

Yours Sincerely, George C. Wallace Jr.

Dear Editor.

Environmental Management reduced? and its oversight commission, Michael William Mullen Management Commission have P.O. Box 6734 failed the people of Alabama Banks, AL 36005 repeatedly. By refusing to promptly reduce the allowed discharges of carcinogenic pollutants the EMC has assured that Alabamians will be exposed to more carcinogens that most Americans for at least another six or nine months. Every day about 25 Alabamians die from

ADEM is failing the people of

pline, that becomes their contion is as follows:

potential risks is incomplete, As the recently elected basing decisions about the best

With every good wish and will Alabamians have to deal

The Alabama Department of and the cancer risks are not the Alabama Environmental Choctawhatchee Riverkeeper

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NELSON

Mr. Nelson was preceded in Survivors include his wife: Elba, Agnes Holman and Ray death by his parents Everett Mary Hardy Flowers, Jack; two Williams, both of Kellyton, MARY JEAN HUNTER

"When information about band Ronald) Hale, Diane (husbrother: Don (wife Linda) Aug. 6, 2007 at Meadowlawn Home directing.

Dotential risks is incomplete. She was preceded by the state of Trustees at Lyman Ward and as on a preference for avoiding Tommy (wife Margie) Nelson, Elba, Miki (husband Tony) Surviving are her children: brother, James McMurray;

> JIMMIE JEAN MADDOX Owens, all of Elba, Cali Crook, Mrs. Jimmie Jean Maddox, Jack, and Hillary Owens, HAYWARD FAULK age 74, of Troy, Ala., died Gonzales. Thursday, August 2, 2007, at her

Marler officiating. Burial fol- Ala. Home directing.

allows these failures in judgment to continue? How many band: Paul Maddox, Troy; one Walden, Elba, Bernice (husband will die needlessly in the future if the politics of greed wins out if the politics of greed wins out Doerun, Ga; three sons: Dick four sisters: Mary Hodge, Elba,

great-grandchildren.

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night of the month
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Funeral services were held Mr. Flowers was preceded in Hudson, Prattville, Brenda Faulk; 21 grandchildren and 23 Evergreen Cemetery, Elba, with James Flowers and John Jack, Ala., Dot Taylor, Elba, Ala., and Howard Faulk (Annie

one daughter: Mindy three step daughters: Vickie Jeremy Grissett, Lance Rushing, Chase Hughes, Tray and Jordan Hunter, Enterprise, Ala.; adopt-

Funeral services were held Mrs. Arkie Hodge, age 92, of his home. Aug. 4, 2007 from the Chapel of Elba, Ala., died Saturday, Aug. Funeral services were held Enterprise; and a godgoals. I can assure you that your EMC decision-making and rule-Hayes Funeral Home in Elba, 4, 2007, at the Enterprise Aug. 2, 2007 at Popular Springs daughter: Michelle Thompson. young man will be well cared making lasts until the spring Ala., with Reverend Donnie Nursing Home in Enterprise, Missionary Baptist Church with lowed in the Rosin Ridge Funeral services were held Burial followed with Coleman

Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Aug. 6, 2007 from the Chapel of Funeral Home directing. Hayes Funeral Home Chapel in He was preceded in death by a Mrs. Maddox was preceded in Elba with Rev. Ron Stallard and wife, Kay Fry Faulk; one son, <www.lwma.org> or call 256- However, many, perhaps a death by her parents Sammie Rev. Charlie Bolt officiating. John Hayward; and several death by her parents Sammie Rev. Charlie Bolt officiating. majority, are. How much longer Graham and Robbie Jones Burial followed in the Zoar brothers and sisters, Maryette warmest personal regards, I with an environmental agency Graham and James Graham and Hayes Funeral Home directing. Mae Faulk Payne, Deacon Graham, two brothers Gary Church Cemetery, Elba, with Copeland, Elouise Lohman, Eva a sister Wynell Jacobs Gower. Survivors include two daugh- Hubert Faulk, Tilman Faulk and Survivors include her hus- ters: Elvester (husband Ronnie) Annie Ruth Faulk.

Maddox, Jack, Ala., Miled Bessie Rogers, Winter Garden, Maddox, Dothan, Ala., Elbert Fla., Daisy Lawson, Enterprise, Maddox, Troy; one brother: Louise Cox, Elba; grandchil-Henry C. Graham, Columbus, dren: Tony Johnson, Ozark, Ga.; nine grandchildren and six Ala., Timmy Johnson, Elba, Tracey Rucker, Prattville, Ala., Robert Hodge, Daleville, Ala., GLEN EDWARD (TED) Peggy McIntosh, Elba, Ralph Hodge, Clearwater, Fla., Mary Mr. Glen Edward (Ted) Jane Crocker, Elba, Bertie Flowers, age 62, of Jack, Ala., Boland, Elba, Joe Hodge, died Friday, Aug. 3, 2007, at Clearwater, Randle Hodge, Medical Center Enterprise in Elba, Jo Anner Davenport, Troy, Erma Jean Daniels and Omar Funeral services were held Gunter, both of Brundidge, Ala., Wallace Rushing, Elba, Daniel

Rushing, Elba, Totsye Rushing,

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EVERETT L. (SHORTY) Aug. 5, 2007 at Zion Chapel Elba, Jerry Rushing, Elba, Syble Survivors include his wife: Baptist Church with Reverend Drum, Ozark, Barbara Bowers, Azlene Nicholson Faulk, Mr. Everett L. (Shorty) Ben Amlong and Rev. Mart Kinston, Faye Bowers, Kinston, Cincinnati, Ohio; children: Nelson, age 58, of Elba, Ala., Gray officiating. Burial fol- Hayward Bowers, Kinston, Rasheeda a.k.a. Patricia formally of Pensacola, Fla., died lowed in the Zion Chapel Rena Plyler, Prattville, Shirley (Sharif), Addul Salaam a.k.a. Tuesday, July 31, 2007, at Elba Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Kelley, Millbrook, Ala., Larry Larry (Debra), Leonard R. Hudson, Millbrook, Durl Faulk (AYK) and Traci L.

Nelson and Ruth Leggis Nelson sons: Graham Scott (wife Ala., Bobby Williams, BATIE Survivors include his wife: Ala., Christopher Glen (wife children and several great age 50, died Monday, July 23; Anderson, Chicago, Ill.; two Owens, Andalusia, Ala., Regina JANET EILEEN HUGHES sons: Patrick Lewis Nelson, (husband Keith) Rushing, Elba, Ms. Janet Eileen Hughes, age Missionary Baptist Church, Pensacola, Fla., Dax (wife Janet (husband Jerry) Grissett; 57, of Enterprise, Ala., died Enterprise, Ala., with Rev. C. A. Mass.: three sisters; Marie (hus- Owens, Gonzales, La., one Graveside services were held followed with Coleman Funeral Pensacola, Sally Sandiford, Louise Bozeman, Elba, Ruby Her parents, Harlon and Mary her parents, Ollie and Voncille Jacksonville, Fla.; two broth- (husband Charles) Watley, Jack, Jane Park of Sun City, Calif., Hunter; husband, Andrew T. ers: Robert Davis, Pensacola, Martha (husband Ken) Johnson, preceded her in death. Indianapolis, Ind.; four grand- McDaniel, Troy, Ala.; two sis- Bill (wife Jena) Hughes and nephew, Marcus Thomas; aunt, sons: Joseph Anderson and ters-in-law: Juanita Flowers Janna (husband William) Ann King; and adopted parents, Kevin Anderson, both of and Pauline Flowers, both of Morrow; brothers: Terry Park, Ardis and Mattie Mae Williams, seen it literally change the lives Daily about 25 Alabamians Chicago, Ethan Grantham and Elba; one grandson: Bhret Carmichael, Calif., Mike Park, Survivors include her daughof countless young men. die from cancer and many others
Sebastian Grantham, both of Dawson Flowers, Elba; eight Denver, Colo.; sister: Nancy ter: Breyanka Hunter; grand-Boston; and one granddaugh- step grandchildren: Brandon Wilson, Fair Oaks, Calif.; four children: Marcus Xavier Batie

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DESTYLES

Miss DeAnn Smith, bride-elect of Mr. Kenneth Neil Grantham Jr was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower on Sunday, July 29th



l to r)- Myrna Cotton, hostess; Audrey Smith, grandmother of bride-elect; Jan Smith, mother of brideelect; DeAnn Smith, honoree; Lucia Grantham, mother of groom-to-be; Agnes Grantham, grandmother of groom-to-be

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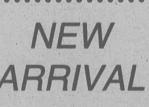
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Brady Michael Johnson

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inches long. Parents are Glen and Kerry Johnson, Paternal grandparents Deadline For Social are J. L. and Nellie Johnson of Elba and maternal grandparents are Dwight and Karen Keesee of Marianna, Florida.

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Miss DeAnn Smith, brideelect of Mr. Kenneth Neil Grantham, Jr. was honored with a miscellaneous shower on Sunday afternoon, July 29, at Olde South Inn on West Davis

The many guests who called between the hours of two and three-thirty were greeted at the front entrance by the hostesses and directed to the registry table, which featured a vase of fresh yellow roses. Alison Smith, sister of the bride-elect registered the callers. DeAnn, dressed in a stunning summer fashion accented by a corsage of miniature yellow roses, received friends along with her mother Mrs. Jan Smith, her grandmother Mrs. Audrey Smith, Neil's mother Ms. Lucia Grantham and

into the dining room where refreshments were served from a Blair and Gloria Hurd and The future groom is the beautifully appointed table fea- Susan and Don Farley announce grandson of Hazel and Junior turing a tiered sterling and crys- the engagement and forthcom- Sanders and Nellie Cauley. gifts for the bride-elect and Davis.

were Ms. Janie Allen, Mrs. Julie She is a 2001 graduate of invited to attend. Brooks, Mrs. Margaret Calhoun, Zion Chapel High School. Mrs. Jane Cash, Mrs. Myrna Cotton, Mrs. Nancy Crowe, Mrs. Betty Davis, Mrs. Donna Driggers, Mrs. Betty Joyce Ellis, Mrs. Diane English, Mrs. Henrietta Grimes and Lisa, Mrs. Chris Head, Mrs. JoAnne Jones, Mrs. Lynn Lewis, Mrs. Vernette Maddox, Mrs. Terry Miller, Mrs. Gloria Moseley, Mrs. Debra Nicholson, Mrs. Sylvia Padgett, Mrs. Kathy Smith, Mrs. Lisa Miss Rogers & Mr. Luke Stinson, Mrs. Debbie Stockwell, Mrs. Chris Sutley, Mrs. Joan Ward, and Mrs. Kaye

a two-year associate in applied science degree. To see the para- of Elba announce the engagelegal courses offered in this ment of their daughter, Amy Ina, planned for Saturday upcoming fall semester, to find out how to be admitted to the Mr. and Mrs. Todd Hartzog of August 11th

The Damascus Reunion will



Erica Newman

Erica Newman receives Doctor of American Red Cross to Pharmacy degree

Erica Newman of New Brockton has received the The Coffee County American Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm. D.) Red Cross will hold several degree for Auburn University Disaster Classes on Saturday, Harrison School of Pharmacy. August 25, 2007 at the New Erica graduated cum laude Brockton City hall. Introduction with a bachelor's degree in biolto Disaster will be held from 9-12 a.m., Shelter Operations will ogy from Troy State University in 2003. She was an honor gradbe held from 1-4 p.m., and uate of New Brockton High Disaster Assessment will be held from 1-4 p.m. also.

Erica is the daughter of Ken and Rhonda Lunsford of New Brockton and Freddie and Donna Newman of Elba. She is the fiancé of Ronnie Gibes of Enterprise. Her grandparents are Ray and Barse Danford of New Brockton, June Newman and the late Wyndol Newman of Elba, and Don and Louise Lunsford of

Enterprise. Erica was recently employed as a pharmacist at Martin Colley Drug Co. in Enterprise.



Mr. Davis & Miss Hurd

mother Ms. Lucia Grantham and his grandmother Mrs. Agnes Hurd-Davis wedding to be held Hostesses invited the guests Saturday, August 11th

tal candelabra. Party dainties, ing marriage of their daughter, He is a 2000 graduate of Zion fruit, and punch were served. Amber Hurd, to Dewayne Chapel High School. Tables holding displays of many Davis, son of Alfred and Rita The wedding will be held groom-to-be were spaced about The bride-elect is the grand- beginning at 5 p.m. at the home in the inn for friends and family daughter of Earlene Dansby and of Jamie and Amy Hurd. A Ruby Dansby and Lena and reception will immediately fol-Hostesses for the occasion Harvey Fish and Charles Hurd. low. All family and friends are



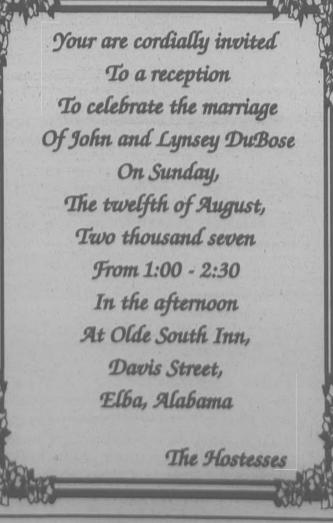
Addison & Braedon Goethe

courses, go online at The bride-elect is the grand- be held on August 11, 2007 Addison & Braedon Goethe Austin and Chance Johnson of Elba proudly announce the birth of their little brother, Brady Michael Johnson. Brady was Michael Johnson. Brady was Information about the paralegal Michael Johnson. Brady was Michael Michael

theme of the festive party. Party Lisa Stinson of Elba and Bob guests enjoyed an array of party and Verne Goethe of foods and punch, while Addison Birmingham, Alabama.

and Braedon Goethe, twins of Adalyn O'Neal, Madison Leslie and Jeremy Goethe of Hanchey, Annsley Padgett and Atlanta, celebrated their 1St Claudia Harris. birthday with a party at home. Addison and Braedon are the Prince and Princess was the grandchildren of Dudley and

and Braedon entertained them- Great-grandparents are Mr. selves by digging into their own and Mrs. Durell Galimore, Edna personalized smash cake. Many Stinson and the late Earl family and friends from the Stinson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Atlanta area, Birmingham, Weiner of Sarasota, Florida and Prattville and Elba enjoyed the Marion Sulzer of Atlanta.



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ING FOR YOU: Minnie J. The conference is open to minis- During the nine weeks of Andrews, Gussie Cornelius, ters of all denominations, male training, the soldier studied the Rev. J. M. Bryant, Shirlee and female. For more informa- Army mission, history, tradition Belcher, Lawrence Bryant, tion call (334) 494-0696. and core values, physical fit-

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS: "The Best Place to be On a and practice in basic combat Leray Smedley-August 10, Sue Friday Night," will be held skills, military weapons, chemi-Wood- August 10, Lillie M. Friday, August 10, 2007 begin- cal warfare and bayonet train-Wade- August 10 (In Memory ning at 7 p.m. with praise and ing, drill and ceremony, march-Of), John and Pam Mitchell- worship at Westview Baptist ing, rifle marksmanship, armed August 11 (Wedding Church, Opp, Alabama, and unarmed combat, map read-Anniversary) ANNUAL HOMECOMING Quotes AND REVIVAL SERVICES "Don't hate, it's too big a burden basic first aid, foot marches, and

OF ROCKY HEAD to bear."- Martin Luther King field training exercises. MISSIONARY BAPTIST Sr.

CONFERENCE, hosted by Jackie Robinson Word Impact Ministries, will be Enterprise Civic Center,

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Childcare will be provided. ing, field tactics, military cour- August 12 & 30 , tesy, military justice system,

ices will be held Sunday, August because I was game enough to County Road 401, Elba. 12 beginning at 10:30 a.m. take a lot of punishment along Revival services will be August the way and half because there 13-16 at 7 p.m. nightly. The were a lot of people who cared area honor students for evangelist presenting the word enough for me."- Althea Gibson will be Z. Delano Smith, Pastor "You may write me down in his- summer semester Baptist Church of Luverne, lies, you may troad me in the very dust but still, like dust, I'll ANNUAL rise."- Maya Angelou MORE" "I'll find a way or make one."



Elizabeth Stephens & Josh Stewart Wedding- 10/27/07 Shower - tba BRIAR PATCH GARDEN AND GIFT SHOPPE On The Square Downtown Elba 897-8591



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ERIC M. WILLIAMS

Eric M. Williams has graduated SCRIPTURE: Psalm 98

Enterprise, Ala. The host will be from basic combat training at and morning worship will begin 11 a.m. Former pastor Rev. Everyone is invited to attend.

CHURCH will be held August "I always wanted to be some- Brockton High School and the Sunday, August 12 at 6 p.m. 12-16, 2007. Homecoming serv- body if I made it. It's half son of Margaret Williams of Country Cathedral is located

Troy University announces

Dr. Ed Roach, Senior Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost.

held August 8-9, 2007 at the Today is a good day! Be grateful. dents who earned a 4.0 grade God plan Homecoming Eria point average for the summer semester are recognized on the and Concert for August 12 Chancellor's List, the universi- Mt. Vernon Assembly of God ty's top honor roll. Full-time Homecoming and Concert will undergraduate students who be August 12, 2007. The service earned a grade point average of will begin at 10:30 a.m. with 3.65 or higher on a 4.0 scale are Johnny Holley as the guest recognized on the Provost's List. speaker. The concert will feature Troy University offers associate, The Larch Family and will take bachelor's, master's and educa- place after the meal. tion specialist degrees, prepar-Rayford Hodge- (334) 897-5354 ing students in the fields of fine arts, communication, business, education, sciences and the humanities, applied science,

> Troy University operates four campuses in Alabama and maintains degree programs at more than 60 campuses in 16 states and 12 foreign countries, serving more than 27,000 stuworldwide. Coffee County (Chancellor's L i s t Elba - Elizabeth Weeks (334) 685-4628 Coffee County (Provost's List-Brockton

Homecoming Services planned at Basin Baptist Church

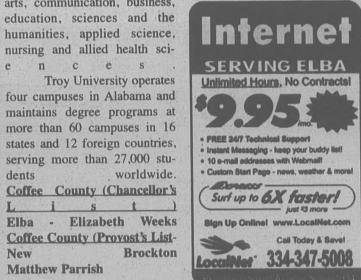
Basin Baptist Church will hold homecoming services on Sunday, August 12, 2007. Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. Allen Moore will bring the message at 11 a.m. Special music will be The Young Family from Andalusia, Ala. A lunch will follow in the fellowship hall following the service.

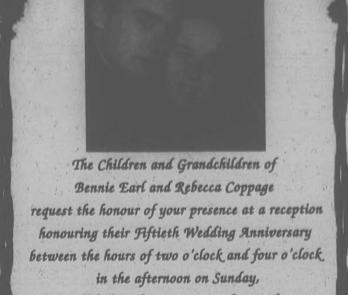
Country Cathedral to hold concerts

Jerry and Tammy Sullivan and the Dyess Family will be in He is a 2003 graduate of New concert at Country Cathedral

The Perrys will be in concert at Country Cathedral on Thursday, August 30 at 7:30 of Shepherd of Good Hope tory with your bitter, twisted Troy University has p.m. There will be no charge for announced its honor students for admission. Country Cathedral is summer semester, according to located about 5 miles east of Opp on HWY 84.

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the twelfth day of August, two-thousand seven. Covenant Community Church 2667 Hickman Avenue

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EMILY AND BO COOK had their first garden this summer. They have been picking cucumbers, squash, watermelons, and cantaloupes. They have given what they picked to neighbors and family. Their parents are Paul and Sherry Cook. Their grandparents are

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Morn. Worship. 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service. 5:00 p.m.
Wed. Night Service 7:00 p.m.

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Two Coffee County Schools implement AMSTI program Jeb Stuart Hornsby receives Doctor of

AMSTI is coming to New Brockton Schools and Zion Chapel Schools this school year. AMSTI, Alabama Math Science and Technology Initiative, is a program designed to improve math and science across the state. The program trains teachers and provides materials and resources needed for hands-on, activity-based. math and science education in the classroom.

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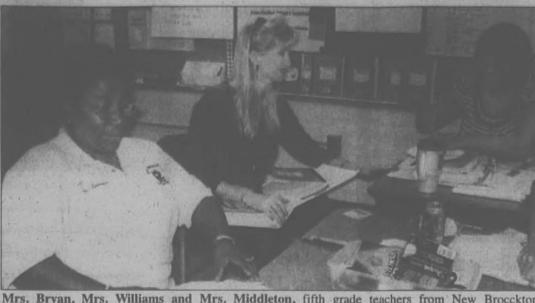
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for introducing the program in Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Middleton, fifth grade teachers from New Brocckton Upon receiving their classrooms this upcoming Elementary School, ponder a math problem and work together to find the answer. The teachers were his undergraduate trained in the same activities they will be introducing to their students.



ner cut into an apple to begin an experiment.

Zion Chapel fifth grade teacher Ginger Vinson and her lab part- Tuesday, Aug. 21.

Coffee County Junior Miss Scholarship Program set for Saturday in Elba

The 2008 Coffee County Jr. Maranda Evon Jennings Miss Scholarship Program will High School: Enterprise be held Saturday, Aug. 11, at the Career Goals: Speech/Language Melinda Stinson (right) and her lab partner Leigh Tranum will Elba High School auditorium. Pathology

The Coffee County Jr. Miss College Choices: University of Scholarship Program is part of a Alabama, Tuscaloosa nationwide endeavor to honor Activities/Honors: Coffee County and reward the country's out- Youth Leadership Program, Paw standing high school girls for Prints - Senior Editor, Cats for their achievements. Last year Christ - Founder and President, the local program rewarded WCAT News Team - Cohousands of dollars in cash Director, National Honor Society-**New House Under Construction** scholarships.

The areas in which contest- Youth Group, Enterprise Encores ants will be evaluated are Showchoir, Junior Pierian Girls' judges interview, scholastic Club- Treasurer, Anchor Club, achievement, creative and per- Drama Club forming arts, physical fitness, Talent: Instrumental; Selection: and poise.

In addition to winning a Norma Christine Boyd scholarship, the young woman 1514 Sequoia Drive • Elba, AL Buy Now & Pick Your Colors, Cabinets, Etc.

High School: Enterprise elected to be Coffee County's Career Goals: Radiologist Ir. Miss will earn the right to College Choices: University of participate in the Alabama's Jr. Miss Program where she will Activities/Honors: Member of compete for the opportunity to First Presbyterian Enterprise, represent Alabama in America's Captain - EHS Danceline, Jr. Miss Nationals in Mobile. President - Chautauqua Girls There will be seven participants Club, Wildcat Representative, in this year's program. They EHS Encores, Anchor Club, Governmeent Club, President National Junior Honor Society, Science Club, Spainsh Club Selection: Anyway - Martina Home Equity Loans McBride by Ashlie Wells

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Vice President, Church of Christ

"Bumble Boogie" by Jack Fina

Activities/Honors: Children's Church Assistant, National Honor Society, Wildcat Representative (School Ambassador), Compose Short Stories and Poems, Anchor Club, Varsity Girls Basketball Captain, Varsity Girls Soccer Captain, Enterprise High School Mascot (Miss Wildcat), Drama Club, Misses Chautauqua Girls

Talent: Drama; Selection: The Birmingham Church Bombing by Lydia Townsend

Elizabeth Lynn Parker High School: Enterprise Career Goals: Elementary America) • SEADAC Education; Pediatrician College Choices: University of Believe by Christina Milian Alabama

Activities/Honors: National Honor Society, Alabama Youth Career Goals: Degree of Leadership Program, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Science Club-Vice President, Leo Club-Secretary, Anchor Club/Drama Encores, Enterprise Danceline, Encores Showchoir, Enterprise Encores, Enterprise High School Danceline/AllStar/UDA Staff, Misses Chautauqua Club, Dancer for Indoor Percussion Talent: Dance; Selection:

"WORK" by Laura Hunter Cheryl Rose Fabry High School: Enterprise Activities/Honors; First Baptist Career Goals: Degree in Music Honor's Society, Enterprise University

Medicine degree in family medicine

Hornsby received his Doctor of Medicine degree in family medicine on May 20, 2007. He is a native of Opp and is a 199 graduate of Opr High School. He is the son of Mr. and Henry Hornsby of Opp, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pugh of Opp and Mr. and Mrs. .E. Hornsby of

degree from the

Alabama he received a rural medical scholarship for the University of Alabama at Birmingham. He attended Medical School for two years in Birmingham and returned to Tuscaloosa to complete his medical school training. Dr. Hornsby, his wife Jennifer, and their son Caden now reside

in Northport, where he is fulfilling his residency requirements.

Fall semester registration underway at EOCC

Fall semester begins soon at how to be admitted to the College,

For more information about Site.

Enterprise-Ozark Community how to register for courses, or what courses are offered, go Registration is still underway online at www.eocc.edu for classes which begin for the http://www.eocc.edu or call full-term and second mini-term (334) 347-2623 at the Enterprise on Friday, Aug. 17. Late registra- Campus, (334) 774-5113 at the tion will continue through Aviation Campus in Ozark, or (334) 598-3438 at the Fort Rucker





Maranda Evon Jennings

Talent: Lyrical Dance; Lydia Rochelle Townsend



Cheryl Rose Fabry

High School Danceline, Anchor Club, Enterprise School of Dance, Dothan School of Dance, Miss Chautauqua Girls Club- Treasurer 2006-2007, Government Club, FBLA (Future Business Leaders of Talent: Dance; Selection: I

Brooke L Shroades Secondary Education College Choices: University of

Colorguard -11th grade Talent: Vocal

Logan Elizabeth Heim High School: Enterprise Church member, National College Choices: Samford Broadway's "Wicked" by



Elizabeth Lynn Parker



Brooke L. Shroades



Activities/Honors: Enterprise Activities/Honors: Enterprise Enterprise Winterguard, Wildcat FFA Chapter President 2006-Rep, Jr. Sesame Girls Club, 2007, Enterprise FFA Anchor Club, National Honor Stringband Vocalist, Anchor Society, Expressions at Club Project Director 2006-Enterprise Jr., Cheerleader at 2007, Chautauqua Girls Club Enterprise Jr., Enterprise Secretary 2007-2008, Praise Team- First Baptist Church, National Honors Society, Government Club, Drama Club, Spanish Club Talent: Vocal; Selection: "I Couldn't Be Happier" from

COMMUNITY NEWS

Storytelling event planned for Sept. 22nd in New Brockton

The Coffee County "some of the best story tellers in storytelling at 6:30 p.m. County Extension Office and event organizers.

Charles and a substitute of the substitute of th

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Storytelling Club, Coffee the Wiregrass," according to There is a charge for tickets. the Town of New Brockton have The event will be held calling 894-6737 no later than

evening of storytelling to New Gatherings Too (located at 104 only available for approximate N. John Street), in New ly 100 people; therefore, those This special event will Brockton. The catered dinner interested in attending should

Reservations must be made by joined together to bring an Saturday, Sept. 22, at the Tuesday, Sept. 18. Seating is



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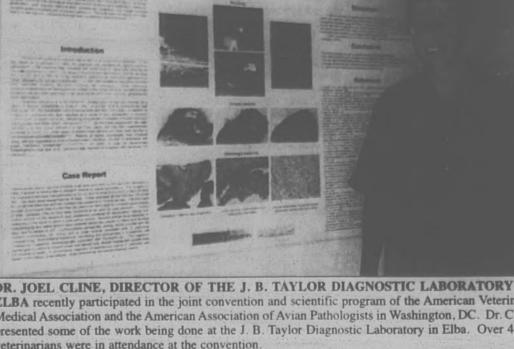
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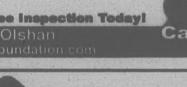
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> NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY PER-SONAL REPRESENTATIVE

ESTATE OF Wendy Michelle White,

deceased having been granted set-back lines and rights of way to Vivian E. Green, Personal of record.

Representative on the 2nd day Said proof August, 2007, by the Honorable William O. Gammill, Street, Elba given that all persons having same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

FORM OF ADVERTISEMENT OF COMPLETION

notice is hereby given that tion of the property; any out-Catrett Construction, Inc., con-standing taxes, including but not tractor has completed the limited to ad valorem taxes. Contract for (Construction, which constitute liens upon said Reconstruction, Alteration, property; special assessments Equipment, or Improvements) of all outstanding bills for public Modernization of Public Housing utilities which constitute liens Site AL107-5 (New Office) at upon said property; all restrictive Elba for the Housing Authority of covenants, easements, rightsthe City of Elba, Owner(s), and of-way; the statutory right of have made request for final set- redemption pursuant to Alabama

PUBLIC NOTICES

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n accordance with Chapter 1

ment of said Contract. All per-

immediately notify The Architectural Office of William J.

Peek, 908 S. Hull Street,

Montgomery, AL 36104.

Catrett Construction, Inc.

CORRECTED NOTICE OF

ELBA DIVISION

ALABAMA, COFFEE COUNTY

Default having been made in the

indebtedness secured by that

Jeffrey Hobbs and Suzanne

Hobbs to Ameriquest Mortgage

Company, dated October 24

2002, said mortgage being recorded in Book 65A, Page

574, in the Office of the Judge of

Probate of Coffee County,

Alabama (Elba Division). Said

assigned and transferred to WM

Specialty Mortgage LLC,

The undersigned, WM Specialty

Mortgage LLC, Without

the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public

Recourse, under and by virtue of

outcry to the highest bidder for

of Coffee County, Alabama (Elba

Division), during the legal hours of sale, on August 23, 2007, the

following real estate, situated in Coffee County, Alabama, to-wit:

Lot #6, Block "A", Northwest

addition to Morrow Subdivision

in the city of Elba, Alabama,

according to plat of same recorded in Misc. Book 8 at

Page 573, Probate Records of Coffee county, Alabama; and further described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest

corner of said Lot 6, Block "A"

and running East Johnson avenue, 239.9 feet; thence

South 150.8 feet; thence West

218 feet to Morrow street;

thence North along Morrow

street 97 feet to point of

Less and except: beginning at Northeast corner of Lot 7 Block

"A" Northwest addition to Morrow subdivision PB 1 PG 3,

thence Southerly 150.3'; West 20'; Northerly 145'S; East 25' to

point of beginning. Less and except: Beginning at

Northwest corner of Lot 6 Block

"A" to Northwest addition to Morrow Subdivision thence

214.9'; S 145' S; W 198'; N'97

Subject to all easements

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Said property is commonly

known as 1078 North Morrow

The indebtedness secured by

hereby declared due because of

default under the terms of said

Mortgage and Note, including

ment of the indebtedness as and

when due. The indebtedness

remaining in default, this sale will be made for the purpose of

paying the same, all expenses of

the sale, including attorney's

fees and all other payments pro-

Mortgage and Note.

vided for under the terms of the

Said property will be sold subject to the following items which may

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which would be disclosed by an

accurate survey or by an inspec-

but not limited to the nonpay

Street, Elba, AL 36323

to point of beginning.

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Without Recourse.

certain mortgage executed by

Montgomery, AL 36104.

Catrett Construction, Inc.

8/9, 16, 23, 30-chg.

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AL09-P149-501-04

WM SPECIALTY MORTGAGE OBTAINED WILL BE USED LLC, WITHOUT RECOURSE

session of the property is Jeffrey

as holder of said mortgage Morris, Schneider & Prior, L.L.C.

1587 Northeast Expressway Testamentary were granted to Michael E. Haag, as Executor of the Estate of Hazel L. Haag. OF COMPLETION Prayer Walk

tenant(s).

persons having claims against notice is hereby given that the said estate are hereby Catrett Construction, Inc., August 18th Contractor has completed the Contract for (Construction, Alteration Equipment, or Improvements) of Modernization of Public Housing There will be a Prayer Sites AL149-1, VI and AL149, III Walk at all Enterprise City CFP Modernization Number: Schools, Coffee County at New Brockton for the Housing Schools and Elba City Authority of the Town of New Schools on August 18, Brockton, Owner(s), and have 2007.9:00 a.m. made request for final settle-

choice.

Mission.

to be held

The public is invited to join sons having any claim for labor, in and pray for the children, nection with this project should teachers, administrators, The school board, and anyone involved in the child's life. Join at the school of

There will be a Drug Awareness Program presented by Coffee Co. Sheriff's Department at New Brockton High School at 10:15 a.m. MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE following the Prayer Walk This event is sponsored by

Coffee Baptist Women on

tlement of said Contract. All persons having any claim for labor, record superior to said MSP File No.333.0715815AL\a materials or otherwise in connection with this project should immediately notify. The undersigned, the party in pos-

Hobbs and Suzanne Hobbs or THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPT ING TO COLLECT A DEBT. INFORMATION

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SPORTS

Views From....

PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

Well, moving week has arrived for the Mularz girls, and that means that in just a matter of days both my girls will be out of the house and attending college. I've had at least one little girl walking around the house and sleeping in her bed for over 24 years, and it was always easier to fall asleep when I knew they were at home and safe. I know this is all just a part of growing up, and the girls will adapt to their new surroundings much easier than this 'ole Dad.

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH

*** It didn't take the Elba Tigers long to find an opponent for their annual preseason game as Coach Scott Rials announced last week the Tigers would take Mack Wood Field on Friday, August 24, against the Goshen Eagles. Goshen is a 2A team that competes in the region with such football powers as Luverne, Loachapoka, Lanett, Reeltown and Highland Home, and last season the Eagles went 3-2 against their non-region opponents as they posted a 5-5 record. Elba ran up a pretty long winning streak in preseason games down at Miller Memorial before getting knocked off last year by Geneva County, and my guess is Goshen will provide the Tigers a stern test as the preseason clash moves on campus. Goshen didn't take the game to come down to Elba and lose. So, the Tigers had better be ready for a battle.

*** I have long been a supporter of doing away with spring training in high school football, and recently the Alabama High School Athletic Association made a small step in that direction when it shortened the amount of time teams are allowed to work out. Beginning this school year, teams will be allowed to conduct spring the cellar. It may be easy to pick Florala. McKenzie missed the practice for only 10 days in a 15-day span, which cut five days off the previous time limit. Spring training used to be a big deal for high schools back when the coaches couldn't work with their players have a solid shot at filling out Chapel were two wins shy of throughout the summer. However, now that football season never ends, how important can a few extra days during the school year be? the playoff picture, and it should be a fight until the final week of the seasons and The change was a move to reduce the length of the seasons, and AHSAA director Steve Savarese added there could be other reductions. For the student's sake, I hope so.

*** I usually don't pay attention to preseason stories about college football, but will admit this summer I have tried to keep up with highly competitive regions, with the region crown. As for the rest what has been going on up at Tuscaloosa under new Bama coach five of the eight teams making of the region, all seven teams Nick Saban. Now that practice has begun, it has been interesting to him, and thought it was funny last weekend when in one published preseason poll. Houston chance at making the playoffs report Coach Saban made it clear he wasn't real happy about a player missing a work-out to attend his brother's wedding. I think Coach Saban knows the expectations are high, and there is added pressure for the new coach to wins some games sooner, than later. Yep, it's going to be fun to read about the Tide and their coach in the weeks

*** In closing,... The adult soccer league that plays its games at Miller Memorial Stadium is approaching its post-season action, and I will make a point to make it down to the stadium in the weeks to come to see the best of adult soccer in South Alabama. Teams from Dothan, Troy, Brundidge, Enterprise, Slocomb, Clio, Louisville and Elba compete in the league, and four games are held every Sunday. There is no admission charge. So, why not head down one weekend and watch the guys in action. It might just surprise you!

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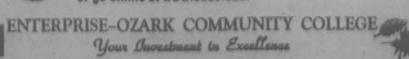
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In race for the playoffs

CLASS 3A REGION 2

Region rivals will remain the same

The high school football sea- earned the right to open the son will kick off in a little over playoffs at home, while three weeks, and while most Wicksburg and Cottonwood area teams will compete in a rounded out the top four and preseason game and then enter a also advanced to the post-sea-10-game regular season sched- son. Houston County missed the ule, all the teams have seven playoffs by just one game, while games circled on their schedules G.W. Long fell two wins short as they take aim against region of getting a ticket to the playoff opponents in their quest to party. New Brockton and advance to the state playoffs. Samson closed out the region Following is a look at region and fell far short of making the alignment for the 2007 high playoff field. Houston Academy school football season:

will again be the team to beat in the region. However, any of the teams in the region should have While there are eight teams in a real chance at making the top this region, most believe the top four and this season the playoff two teams will repeat and the picture may not become clear other six teams will fight for the until the final week of region. other two spots in the state play- action.

offs. Geneva and Pike County placed 1-2 last season in the CLASS IAREGION 2 region standings and drew the Brantley has dominated this home field advantage in the region for the past five years, post-season, while Abbeville and while the Bulldogs will and Straughn closed out the top again be a prohibitive favorite, four and also punched their tick- the remainder of the teams in the ets into the post-season party. region appear more balanced Headland finished in a tie for than ever. Brantley ran its region fourth place last season and was winning streak to 35 games with nudged out by Straughn in a a clean sweep of its region rivals tiebreaker, while Dale County in '06, while Ariton finished as and Elba missed out by just one the runner-up, followed in the game, followed by Slocomb in top four by Pleasant Home and the top two finishers in this playoffs by just one win, while region, but five teams appear to Providence Christian and Zion

Brantley may not be as strong as in years past after losing 17 seniors, but the Bulldogs will be the This is one of the state's most clear cut favorites to take home an appearance in the state's 2A should believe they have a finished 1-2 a year ago and until late in the season.

Five of six state champs picked to repeat in prep preseason poll

The Alabama High School Greenville Athletic Association has released its preseason high CLASS 4A school football standings with Guntersville 2. Thomasville 3. five of last season's state cham- Andalusia 4. North Jackson. 5 cess from the 2006 season. Limestone 8. Tuscaloosa (4A), Pike County (3A), Leroy (Also receiving votes) (11) T.R.

CLASS 2A REGION 2

(2A) and Sweet Water (1A) are Miller, (21) W.S. Neal all picked to begin the '07 season atop the standings in their CLASS 3A the only exception comes in 3. Cordova 4. Colbert County 5.

state champ Athens. Following is the complete preseason standings in all six CLASS 2A eams that received votes:

CLASS 6A Tuscaloosa County (Also (22) Cottonwood

receiving votes: (12) Enterprise **CLASS 5A** St. Paul's 2. J.O. Johnson 3. Talladega County Central 4. Eufaula 4. Russellville 5. Fort Maplesville 5. Ragland 6.

McAdory 10. UMS-Wright receiving votes) (12) Ariton (Also receiving votes) (22) Reserved seating on sale at Elba

High for upcoming football season

CLASS 1A

Elba Tiger Football support- ers who purchase reserved seat-

ing annually for the home games have until Friday, Aug. 24, to renew their seats for the 2007 football season. In order to maintain the priority option on a year-to-year basis, the renewal must be completed by this date. Reserved seating tickets not purchased by Friday, Aug. 24,

will go on sale to the public at that time. Reserved parking at the stadium may also be renewed at the time of the ticket purchase. There will be six home games during the 2007 football season

1st annual "Mack Wood Classic" August 24 7:00P.M. Elba vs. Goshen

Mack Wood Field at Tiger Stadium

CLASS 3A REGION 2 (2006 Final Standings)

Rank	Team	Record
1	Geneva	7-0
2	Pike County	6-1
3	Abbeville	5-2
4	Straughn	3-4
5	Headland	3-4
6	Dale County	2-5
7	Elba	2-5
8	Slocomb	0-7

CLASS 2A REGION 2 (2006 Final Standings)

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Rank	<u>Team</u>	Record
1	Houston Acad.	7-0
2	Geneva County	6-1
3	Wicksburg	5-2
4	Cottonwood	4-3
5	Houston County	3-4
6	G.W. Long	2-5
7	New Brockton	1-6
8	Samson	0-9

CLASS 1A REGION 2 (2006 Final Standings)

Rank	<u>Team</u>	Record
1	Brantley	7-0
2	Ariton	6-1
3	Pleasant Home	4-3
4	Florala	4-3
5	McKenzie	3-4
6	Providence Ch.	2-5
7	Zion Chapel	2-5
8	Kinston	0-7

pions picked to repeat their sucBrooks 6. Alexandria 7. East Field for semifinals almost set for Prattville (6A), Guntersville Central 9. Trinity 10. Deshler Elba International Soccer League

Miller Memorial Stadium has needs six points to make the seen its share of historic high playoffs, while Club Juventos school football games over the needs only three points. respective classifications, while 1. Pike County 2. Clay County decades and now serves as the Teams already assured a berth Class 5A, where Mobile's St. Calera 6. Geneva 7. Leeds 8. League. This season the stadium America, Milan, Chelsea, Clio, Paul's was chosen as the presea- Winfield 9. Clarke County 10. has added to its rich history of Louisville and Real Espana, son pick to replace defending Montgomery Academy (Also hosting athletic events, as it has These teams are waiting to see receiving votes) (21) Abbeville classifications, along with area Leroy 2. Fyffe 3. Houston nine teams from across South offs right around the corner. Academy 4. Addison 5.

Alabama. Lineville 6. Lanett 7. Tanner 8. American Christian 9. Elba; Club Clio, of Clio; Club game against Louisville. Louisville, of Louisville; and The quarterfinals will be held Sweet Water 2. Brantley 3.

the teams that reach the semifi- the games and learn more about nal round. Club Juventos and the sport of soccer. finals, and need a win to remain the players and fans. in contention. Club Toluca

home of the Elba Youth Football in the semifinals are Veracruz.

become the home field for the what team it will meet in the International Soccer League, of semifinals, and also working Elba, which includes a total of hard to stay sharp with the play-The league plays four games Memorial Stadium include Club Memorial Stadium, with no

Teams competing at Miller every Sunday at Miller 1. Prattville 2. Hoover 3. Daphne Woodland 10. Wicksburg (Also Juventos, of Dothan; Club admission charge to the public. 4. Vestavia Hills 5. McGill- receiving votes) (17) Houston Toluca, of Troy; Club Veracruz, The games begin at 11:00 AM, Toolen 6. Foley 7. Opelika 8. County, (18) Luverne), (20) of Brundidge; Club America, of followed by games at 1:00, 3:00 Gadsden City 9. Spain Park 10. Geneva County, (21) Red Level, Enterprise; Club Milan, of and 5:00. Elba's Club Chelsea Slocomb; Club Chelsea, of will hit the field for the 3:00

Real Espana, of Enterprise. on August 19 and 26, to be fol-Next week the league will lowed by the semifinals on enter its 15th week of action, September 2 and 9, and the Payne 6. Briarwood Christian 7. Hazlewood 7. Florala 8. Linden with two important games on finals on September 16 and 23. Jess Lanier 8. Athens 9. 9. McIntosh 10. Donoho (Also the schedule that will determine The public is invited to attend

> Club Toluca are trying to lock A concession stand is open at down the final spot in the semi- all games for the convenience of



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SPORTS

Off the threatened list, eagles benefit from same conservation efforts as game animals

and 7-foot wingspan of an adult the Sonora desert of the bald eagle and many other

Let's Go...

Ben Norman, Sports Columnist

Studies reveal that the black crappie is found in more acidic water

pH of seven or greater. The two are easily confused especially when

and August, so we have to change our routine a little.

cal bands while the black crappie are irregular.

and are attractive to bait fish that crappie feed on.

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Whether it's viewed on the Today, bird watchers in places ing, killing, possession, transbanks of a big Alaskan river or like Oklahoma are just as likely portation, and importation of soaring through the marshes as a visitor to Yellowstone to migratory birds, their eggs. beside a Florida lake, the bald spot a bald eagle flying or parts, and nests, unless allowed eagle (Haliaeetus leuco- perched high in a tree. In fact, by permit. cephalus) never fails to draw the bird, whose distinctive white On Saturday, September 22. attention. Found only in North head plumage develops around 2007, millions of Americans America, the iconic white head the fourth year, can be seen in will celebrate the success of the

stand out among the many sky- American southwest, the bayous species as part of National ward creatures that make their of the gulf coast and many other Hunting and Fishing Day activihome here. But even more than areas. More than just a symbol ties that will be going on nationits stature or its fishing prowess, of a nation, the bald eagle serves wide. National Hunting and the bald eagle remains a symbol as a vital member of the food Fishing Day began after a presiof the United States, and graces chain in any area it inhabits. dential proclamation in 1972 everything from coins and Whether it dines on salmon in that sets aside the fourth stamps to government seals and the northwest or mammals and Saturday of each September for art - a living, feathered reminder rodents anywhere else, bald the event. Since then, national, of the grace and power that the eagles survive largely on car-regional; state and local organination was founded upon. rion, making sure that nothing zations have staged thousands

lower 48 states. Decades of nationally upgraded from outdoor sports. some financed through sports of the lower 48 states. At that vation efforts of the past have Make plans now to enter Waterfowl Stamp art contest men dollars and utilizing contime, there were around 4,450 given millions of people the servation tactics previously per- breeding pairs. Today, bald thrill of seeing the bald eagle fected on game animals - eagle pairs in the continental soar high above the ground, to included the relocation of breed- U.S. number 9,789. Although hear it call in the distance and ing pairs, incubation of eggs and these birds have been removed continue to grace some of the the release of eaglets as well as from the Threatened and United States' most beautiful increased law enforcement pro- Endangered Species List, they locales. Conservation groups, tection from wildlife agencies. are still protected by both feder- sportsmen and women and The results have seen bald eagle al and state laws. These statutes wildlife watchers alike are all breeding pair numbers increase include the Lacey Act, the Bald stakeholders in the future of the Alabama artists only. to 10,000 in the last 40 years. and Golden Eagle Protection bald eagle, to ensure that this Entries cannot exceed 9 by 12 Because of this, the bald eagle Act and the Migratory Bird majestic creature remains a inches (15 by 18 inches matted). was officially removed from the Treaty Act. All three of these symbol of America and not a Only original horizontal art-U.S. Endangered and acts generally state that the U.S. distant memory. Threatened Species List on June prohibits the pursuance, harm-

Red Cross to ing, harassing, purchasing, takhold disaster Outdoors with Ben

Red Cross will hold several jects for the 2009-10 stamp. to Disaster will be held from 9- ical accuracy of the illustrated 12 a.m., Shelter Operations will species, and artistic rendering. be held from 1-4 p.m., and Wing and feather construction Disaster Assessment will be must be particularly well held from 1-4 p.m. also. defined Entrants may submit a Spring is definitely the favorite time for crappie fisherman across Registration is required. Alabama, but summer can yield some nice catches also. Admittedly, To register call New Brockton

few of us want to sit in a boat during the middle of the day in July City Hall at 894-5283 or 347-1426 and leave a name and num-Mid-summer crappies can be found near food sources such as ber or email mhroberts@centuinsects, crayfish and especially baitfish such as small bluegills, min-rytel.net. nows and shad. The pH of the water can also influence their loca-

Owls is next topic with a pH of less than seven. The white crappie favors water with a in Landmark Park series on science

the male white crappie turns darker during spawning season. To differentiate between the two look at the way the spots or blotches are Landmark Park's annual arranged. The white crappie has spots or blotches arranged in verti- "Science on Saturday" series began on Saturday, August 4 Another clue is the dorsal spines. Black crappies have seven or with a variety of family-oriented eight hard dorsal spines while the white crappie has five or six hard presentations on science related dorsal spines. The white crappie has a dished head, the black crapeach Saturday at 10 a.m. during The best places to look for crappie, especially during daylight the month of August. All prohours, is anywhere that affords them shade. Boat docks, bridges, grams are free with paid admis docked barges or thick aquatic weeds that offer shade, cooler water, sion to the park. Space is limited so reservations are requested If the water is deep enough, vertical jigging with minnows or jigs and can be made by calling the

can be productive. Several years ago I had to attend a coat and tie park office at 334-794-3452. function at a lakeside motel in Pell City, Al. during July. While August 11-All About Owlsaccompanying friends to their cars, I spotted the familiar glow of a Raptor rehabilition specialist gas lantern on the dock and walked down to talk to the fishermen. Louise Grider of Sweetgum Two contractors from Minnesota were jigging for crappie through
Hollow Wildlife Center in New the cracks between the boards on the pier using ice fishing rods. Brockton will bring several They said they were trying to catch enough for a fish fry the next examples of these magnificent night and asked if I would like to help them. We filled a small coolenjoy. Scheduled to appear is a Bridges are excellent crappie attractants during summer. A shadyoung great horned owl and two ow from the bridge is present at anytime of the day. Microscopic eastern screech owls. These aquatic life clings to the pilings that in turn attracts bait fish that birds are non-releaseable, rehabilitated birds used to educate Aquatic weeds offer good shade for crappie, as the water temper- the public on the value of these ature can be as much as 10 degrees cooler. A long rod will allow you protected predatory birds. This to fish the openings from the bank or boat without spooking fish. program will give everyone the Summertime crappies are where you find them, and you never chance of seeing the owls up know what to expect. You may even run up on a questionable char-close and personal.

acter from Highland Home AL helping two fellows from Minnesota Admission for the Science On catch crappies while wearing a suit and fishing with an ice fishing Saturday programs is free with rig during the middle of July. Please don't tell my fishing buddies admission to the park. All programs will begin at 10 a.m. in Elba pool closed for summer park's Interpretive Center. Aug. 20 - Archaeology 101-

The Elba City Pool is now closed for the summer. The final day Wiregrass Region for thousands for the summer was Tuesday, July 31. If anyone left any items at of years, and the material culture the pool they should call the Elba Recreation Department at 897-6833 and identify the item. It will be available for pick-up at the facts are the best clues to piecing together the puzzle of ancient activity. Justin Stickler, owner of Wiregrass Archaeological Consulting will discuss what an archaeologist does and give a brief history overview of the prehistory and history of the Wiregrass Region. Also during this time will be an opportunity to look at and handle a sample of artifacts found in this area.



extirpation in the mid-20th cen- Extremely adept at catching ing-related events everywhere THE KINSTON TOWN COUNCIL RECOGNIZED the Recreation Department's Dixie Ponytails damage to eggs from harmful one area all year if they have ban frog ponds, providing milchemicals and poaching, a 1965 ready access to a sufficiently lions of Americans with a nizing the team's accomplishments for being undefeated for three years in a row and winning the Subchance to experience, under- District Championship. The members of the team are Macy Sanders, Chelbie Fuller, Madison Weeks, breeding pairs remained in the In 1995, the bald eagle was stand and appreciate traditional Laiken Free, Mary Mack, Aubree Archie, Emily Mock, Erin Bowden, Arissa Davis, Hayden Harper and

For contest information and abama.com.

Alabama artists should start test entries have included works entry forms, contact David making plans now to enter the in oil, watercolor, acrylic and Hayden, Alabama Wildlife and 2008 Alabama Waterfowl Stamp mixed media, all of which are Fisheries Division, at 334-242art contest. The annual contest, eligible. sponsored by the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Wildlife

works depicting a species of North American migratory duck or goose will be eligible. The Canvasback (2006-07), Bluewinged Teal-(2007-08) and classes Aug. 25 Hooded Merganser (2008-09) – depicted in the winning artwork of the three previous years' con-The Coffee County American tests - are not eligible as sub-Disaster Classes on Saturday, Judging criteria will empha-August 25, 2007 at the New size uncluttered design suitable Brockton City hall. Introduction for printing as a stamp, anatom-

painting or drawing; past con-

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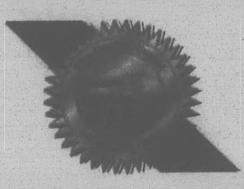
Commending Carolyn Brunson for her service to the Healthcare Authority of Elba, Alabama, Inc. doing business as Elba General Hospital and Nursing Home for the past 33 years.

Whereas her devotion and guidance to the facility throughout the years has provided excellent healthcare to our community and

Whereas since 1974 she has unselfishly devoted her time and expertise to her community's health needs and

Whereas Mrs. Brunson has exhibited a spirit of friendship and earned the respect and trust with whom she is associated; now therefore

Be it resolved by the Healthcare Authority Board of Directors of Elba, Alabama, that Carolyn Brunson is to be honored and recognized for her service to this Board and the community and a copy of this resolution shall be provided to her in sincere thanks and admiration.



I hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Healthcare Authority of Elba, Alabama, Inc. on this day of March 13, 2007.





ciation to Dr. Lance K. Dyess and his family Monday evening during Open House ceremonies at Zion Chapel Schools. It was announced Monday that Dr. Dyess and his family have donated 30-acres of land to support the continued growth of Zion Chapel Schools. Those pictured above include (from left): Galen McWaters, Annette Griswold, Jimmy Clark, Rubin McKinnon, Dr. Lance K. Dyess, Superintendent Dr. Linda Ingram, Larry Eddins, Danny Jernigan and Charles Walker.

operating funds.

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School System.

"I think our problems for the future have been solved," she

Receiving a huge ovation from the crowd, Dr. Dyess said he wants to see the school continue to grow. After speaking with his family and after much prayer, he said he decided the "right thing to do" would be donate the land. "Zion Chapel will forever be in your debt," Hartwell said to Britley Parker and daughter Kinley tour the new building at Zion Chapel Monday evening during Open House. They are shown above

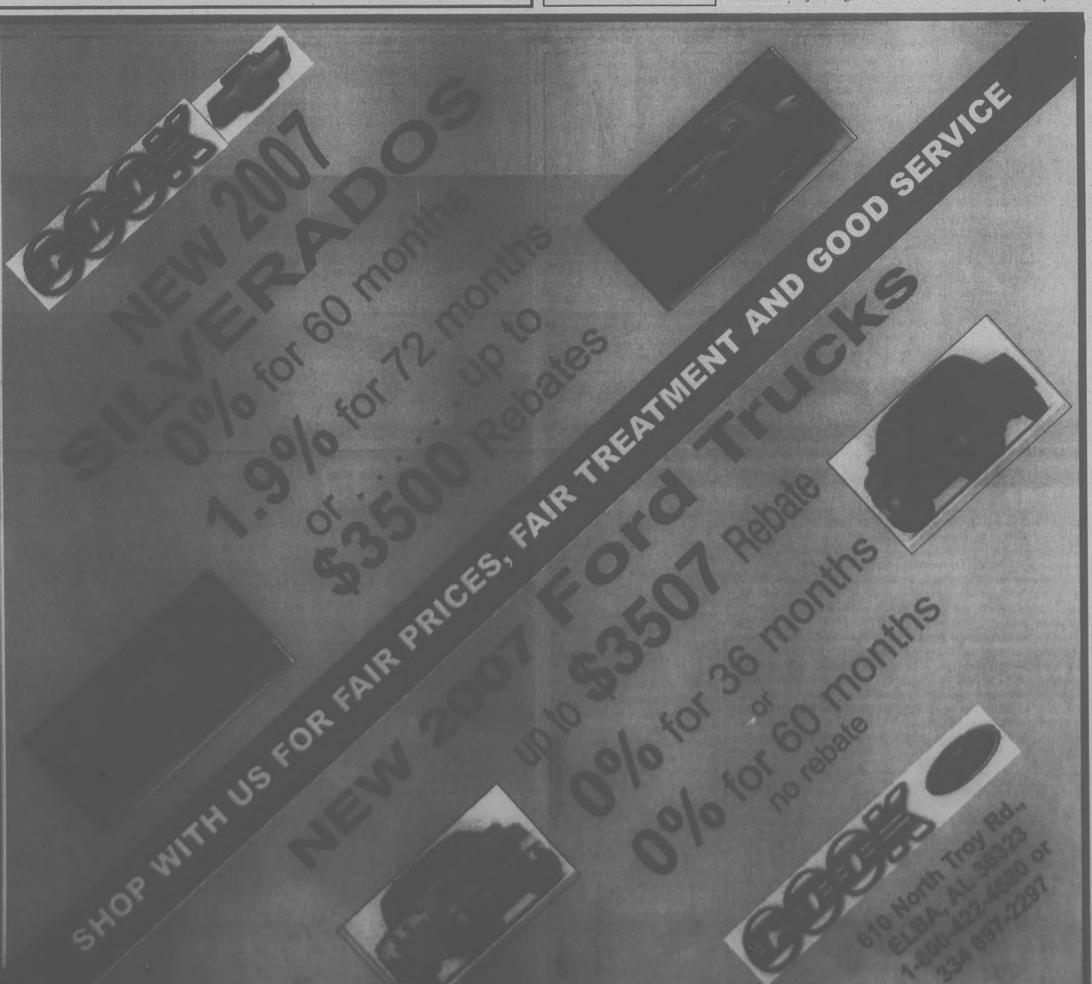
Dyess. "We thank you." Following the announcement, with school nurse Virginia McLeod in her new office. students and parents were able to meet with teachers during Open House. Also during this time,

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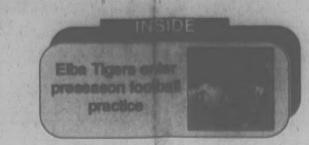
everyone was invited to tour the previous meeting where other member Jeff White expressed new building while a reception employees received a raise. his thanks to the police depart-The council voted to borrow ment, fire department and other \$20,000 from The Peoples Bank volunteers that respond to inciof Coffee County. This 90-day dents. He said these people often loan will help the town with do not know what kind of situation they are walking into, and The council also voted to he wanted to thank them for accept a low bid of \$25,000 from everything they do. All council Danny's Dozer for another members agreed with White and

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round of the demolition grant. In echoed his remarks. regards to a tree cutting project Due to the Labor Day holiday on six roads in the town, the low on Monday, Sept. 3 (town bid of \$4,000 was awarded to offices will be closed), the September town council meeting Prior to adjourning, council will be held Monday, Sept. 10.



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ABC agents raid open house party in Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor involved adult minors (age 18 dren up safe and unharmed, but not 21), juveniles, adult par-Often times, he said parents

Enforcement agents with the ents and an adult subsequently have to go to accident scenes ABC (Alcoholic Beverage involved though not directly and/or hospitals or worse.

attendance. According to ABC party arrests. enforcement agent Sgt. Randy In regards to the juveniles alcohol-related medical proband officers arrived on scene obtained on a total of 17 juveshortly after midnight (Saturday, niles.

Eiland said ABC agents did said Eiland. "People are killed request the Elba Police in accidents every day, and the Department to make an appear- presence of alcohol increases ance on scene, but the investiga- the chances." tion belonged strictly to the In regards to last weekend's

incident, Sgt. Eiland said par-Sgt. Eiland said the incident ents were able to pick their chil-

During Elba City Council meeting

Mayor reviews financial statement for first nine months of FY2007

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher The Elba City Council met budget briefly Monday evening to han- Both the portion of the city and the mayor.

the sales tax income was almost already transferred \$43,265 to schools. exactly on budget projections the schools.

budgeted amount for the entire related to activity and/or volume of Education. year. Salaries, office supplies, of work.

Squad, Human Resource Development and public library Please See CITY, Page 10

pro-rata portion of their annual ABC Board.

dle routine city business. Items sales tax which goes to the addressed included reviewing schools and the alcohol tax are the monthly financial statement, running ahead of projections paying the monthly bills and made when the annual budget getting brief activity reports was being prepared last year. eviewed the financial state \$6,000. The city had expected

men fees and supplies have Weeks. Grimes reviewed the depart- almost doubled the budgeted Also, Weeks said for the sec-

Elba man arrested in Covington ment of Elba City Schools was achieved this. County on drug related charges the Alabama High School Elba Elementary School is a the State of Alabama to score praised the students for abiding model site for the Alabama 100 percent on the graduation by it.

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dients, soaking, drying, mixing, cooking and drying some more;

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staff."

He added that the school system of the essary to produce 300 ml of meth oil which represents approximately 2.5 grams of finished methamphetamine with a street value of around \$250. Some may consider that a pretty good return on their investment of time and money, but probably not Tommy Joel Hughes of Andalusia and Randy Kevin Hobbs of Elba who were arrested by the Covington County Drug Task Force late Monday afternoon when they were caught with a meth lab in operation on County Road 70 near Sassers Crossroads. Hughes, 47, was booked into the Covington County Jail and held under a \$570,000 bond on the charges of manufacturing a controlled substance, drug trafficking, possession of marijuana I and posses-

sion of drug paraphernalia. Hobbs, 28, was charged with manufacturing a controlled substance II for his role in the process and held under a \$200,000 bond.

Control) Board busted an open with the party. In all, he said he "Too many times, we bury Old Town and Teel cemeteries house party last weekend in expects a total of nine adult kids that left parties thinking in rural Coffee County in early

with various charges including said. ABC agents responded to a minors in possession of alcohol, According to Sgt. Eiland, one The vandalism reportedly residence on Hickman Avenue minors in consumption of alco-female juvenile was transported occurred sometime around July in Elba on suspicion of an open hol, obstruction of governmen- from the scene of last weekend's 4th at the cemeteries, which are house party with juveniles in tal operations and open house open house party by ambulance located in a secluded area off to Elba General Hospital for | County Rd. 456 south of the

> On Tuesday of this week, Sgt. "This is a public safety issue," Eiland said officials had made most of the arrests of adults involved. He said those charged will have a court date with proceedings beginning in district

As for the petitioned juveniles, Sgt. Eiland said the juvenile court and probation officers will discuss these case and make a determination of what to do. Sgt. Eiland said the investiga-

tion into this incident remains are slightly over the nine month open and continues through the

by Brian Blair, Staff Writer

Students once again began from the police chief, city clerk The sales tax is up by about filling the halls Thursday, Aug. \$10,000 and the alcohol tax paid 9, of Elba Elementary and Elba Mayor James Grimes to the schools is up some High schools, and according to ments for the first nine months about \$50,000 in alcohol tax for there are many accomplishof the fiscal year. He noted that the year and in nine months has ments to be proud of at both

"Over the summer many projbut the total income was down, \$38,000 was budgeted for the ects took place on the buildings largely due to anticipated state fire department in the first nine and grounds and many staff and federal grants placed in the months of the year, but actual members worked diligently to budget had not been forthcom- costs were \$49,357. Both fire- accomplish these tasks," said

mental expenditures individual- amount. Budget writers always ond consecutive year both ly. Administrative expenses squirm when preparing budgets schools meet AYP (Adequate were near projections with only for a department in which virtuinterest expense exceeding the ally all expenses are directly by the State of Alabama Board

budgeted amount. The Rescue are also up 25% from projected tion rate by 16 percent and our

"Also for the second year in a Reading First program and is exam." Agent Ray Dixon with the row, 100 percent of our senior nationally known for its reading Both Elba Elementary School place our students look neat and ond meth lab that he and fellow ond meth lab that he and fellow exam," he said. "This is due to one to school," said Casey. Hours of searching for ingre- officers have shut down in a the hard work of our faculty and U.S. Department of Education Shane Casey reinforced the "Also, we have had no problems

> Area Happenings tremendous," said Weeks. "Both truly shows that we are off to a Please See AYP, Page 3 schools meeting AYP by achiev- good start."

attendance rate is above 96 per- tem has received many tele- ing 100 percent of the goals. Casey said the new school phone calls from other systems required by the State is a credit year has been off to a really Weeks said another achieve- wanting to know how Elba has to the staff of both schools. I good start and said the new would also like to stress that we dress code policy is being the 100 percent passing rate on Superintendent Weeks said are one of only four schools in enforced. Principal Casey

"Our success academically our scores on AYP and the grad- When asked about the new over the past two years is uation exam," said Casey. "It ____

"With the new dress code in to make a presentation at a con- points made by Weeks. with our new tardy policy and

ec County EMS Team

Todd Teachnor joined the Coffee County EMS team approximately one year ago. He serves as an EMT-Basic. Teachnor's training includes

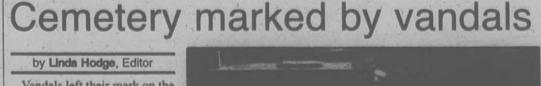
CPR-BLS. When asked what he enjoys most about his job he said, "helping people in their time of

Teachnor's most memorable experience on the job came when he helped someone that had been involved in a serious automobile accident. He is also employed by

Opportunity EMS. Todd said his family lives out of state, and he spends time with his friends. In his spare time he enjoys scuba diving, paramedic

school and going to the gym.





Vandals left their mark on the Elba that resulted in several arrests (those age 18 and above) they were 'bulletproof,'" Eiland July as several headstones were

Eiland, the party reportedly (those under age 18), Sgt. lems She reportedly stayed Upon discovery of the dam-

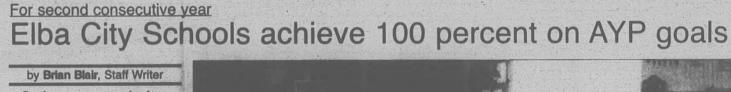
began Friday evening, Aug. 10, Eiland said petitions were overnight at the hospital for age, the Coffee County Sheriff's Department began an investigation, and Chief Deputy R.W. Whitworth said authorities now believe they have identified those responsi-Whitworth said a group of

minors are believed to be responsible, and some have admitted to their involvement. ment is working with the fami-Town and Teel cemeteries.



Several headstones at the Old Town and Teel cemeteries in rural He said the sheriff's departdalism. The Coffee County Sheriff's Department continues to lies of those involved to repair work on this case and reportedly has identified those responsible. the damage caused at the Old Additional photos of the damage are on Page 11 of today's paper.

At least 25 headstones were over, broken or both. Also there 10-15 unknown graves that damaged either by being turned were wooden crosses marking were pulled from the ground.



"Elba City Schools met 17 out Students in Michelle Grimes' fifth grade class at Elba Elementary School are shown hard-at-work landfill fees and insurance were Police department salaries are of 17 goals on AYP to achieve a earlier this week. Students returned to class last Thursday, Aug. 9, and have seemingly had no trouble also exceeding projections. over budget, and Grimes noted 100 percent success rate. This is getting back into the routine of learning. The students are shown at work with the school's Reading First Appropriations to the this is largely due to overtime the second year we have program. Elba Elementary is a model site for the program, and this past summer representatives of the Chamber of Commerce have already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers already surpassed the annual of patrol officers. Gasoline cost already surpassed the annual of patrol officers already surpassed the a